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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated July 13, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

A clean copy of the pending claims are reflected in the Amendments to the Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.